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In re Application of:

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner for a two-month extension of time for responding to the non-final Office Action dated January 25, 2006, extending the period of response from April 25, 2006 to June 25, 2006.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the petition fee of \$225.00, or any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 10-0440 during the pendency of prosecution of this application.

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